

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD  
Effective December 29, 1999

Application or Docket Number

09/648590

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

| FOR                              | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA |
|----------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| BASIC FEE                        |              |              |
| TOTAL CLAIMS                     | 4            | minus 20 =   |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS               |              | minus 3 =    |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT |              |              |

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT A                                    | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|--|----------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|---------------|
|  | Total                            | Minus | .. 20                              | = 0           |
| Independent                                    | 1                                | Minus | .. 3                               | = 0           |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                                  |       |                                    |               |

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(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

| AMENDMENT B                                    | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|--|----------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|---------------|
|  | Total                            | Minus | .. 20                              | =             |
| Independent                                    | 4                                | Minus | .. 3                               | = 1           |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                                  |       |                                    |               |

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| SMALL ENTITY TYPE | OR     | OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY |
|-------------------|--------|-------------------------|
| RATE              | 345.00 | 690.00                  |
| OR                |        |                         |
| X\$ 9=            |        | X\$18=                  |
| OR                |        |                         |
| X39=              |        | X78=                    |
| OR                |        |                         |
| +130=             |        | +260=                   |
| TOTAL             | 345    | TOTAL 690               |

| SMALL ENTITY     | OR             | OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------------|
| RATE             | ADDITIONAL FEE | ADDITIONAL FEE          |
| OR               |                |                         |
| X\$ 9=           |                | X\$18= 0                |
| OR               |                |                         |
| X39=             |                | X78= 0                  |
| OR               |                |                         |
| +130=            |                | +260= -                 |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                | TOTAL ADDIT. FEE 0      |

| RATE             | ADDITIONAL FEE | RATE                 | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|------------------|----------------|----------------------|----------------|
| X\$ 9=           |                | X\$18=               |                |
| OR               |                |                      |                |
| X39=             |                | X78= 860             | 860            |
| OR               |                |                      |                |
| +130=            |                | +260=                |                |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                | TOTAL ADDIT. FEE 860 | 860            |

| AMENDMENT C                                    | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT |       | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|--|----------------------------------|-------|------------------------------------|---------------|
|  | Total                            | Minus | ..                                 | =             |
| Independent                                    | •                                | Minus | ..                                 | =             |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM |                                  |       |                                    |               |

| RATE             | ADDITIONAL FEE | RATE             | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|
| X\$ 9=           |                | X\$18=           |                |
| OR               |                |                  |                |
| X39=             |                | X78=             |                |
| OR               |                |                  |                |
| +130=            |                | +260=            |                |
| TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                | TOTAL ADDIT. FEE |                |

- If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, enter "20."
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, enter "3."

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found in the appropriate box in column 1.

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Confirmation No.: 5506

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Art Unit: 2626

S. N. 09/648,590

Examiner: M. A. V. Nguyen

Filed: August 25, 2000

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the office action dated April 21, 2004,  
please make the following amendments:

Claim amendments begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this document.

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